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DOG EAT DOG IN PARTS OF GERMANY

Maine Seeks Ratification of Peace Pact—Oakland Woman Gagged in Own Yard—Senator's Life Threatened—American Marines Kill Coolies—Poles Turn Tide Against Bolshevik Forces.

THE HAGUE, March 25.—Fighting in the Ruhr district of Germany, where it was understood a truce had been agreed to, has been resumed, according to the Telegraaf. Spartacist forces are nearing Wesel, the newspaper says, and a Muenster dispatch to the Rotterdam Courant says the Red army's strength is now 120,000.

Some reports from the frontier indicate that the workmen are bombarding Wesel with large caliber guns. The advices are conflicting, however, other reports declaring the situation is quiet.

POLES DRIVE BACK BOLSHEVIK FORCE

WARRAW, March 25.—Bolshevist attacks have been launched against the Polish line at scattered points along a front approximately 400 miles, and the long-planned spring attack by the Russian Soviet armies apparently has been commenced.

The Poles have been holding the enemy in check in most sections, say official statements. The Red troops are using heavy artillery, tanks, armored cars and other apparatus captured from General Denikine on the South Russian front.

AMERICAN MARINES BATTLE WITH CHINKS

TOKIO, March 25.—American marines landed at Kiukiang at the request of the British consul killed two Chinese coolies. They later withdrew at the request of the local authorities.

The British consul asked the marines to land to quell a fight between Chinese policemen and coolies, according to dispatches received here.

The feeling against Americans and Europeans as a result of the incident is said to be intense.

MAINE WANTS TO RATIFY PEACE PACT

BANGOR, Maine, March 25.—Ratification of the peace treaty with the reservations adopted by the Senate was favored in resolutions presented to the Republican state convention today. A resolution disapproving government ownership of railroads and steamships was also offered.

OAKLAND WOMAN IS SEIZED BY THUGS

OAKLAND, March 25.—Seized by two masked bandits as she was hanging out the clothes in the back yard of her home at 1238 Fifth street, Mrs. J. McLean was carried screaming into the house today, and while one of the thugs stood guard over her the other went into the yard, took down the clothes line and bound the woman to a chair. She was gagged with a handkerchief and left bound while the burglars rifled the house.

LETTER THREATENS LIFE OF SENATOR

LOS ANGELES, March 25.—It became known today that Senator Albert B. Fall, head of the Senate committee investigating Mexican affairs, was under special guard during the last three days of the committee's recent visit to Los Angeles, following the receipt of a letter threatening his life. The letter was written in Spanish.

NAME SPELLED WRONG

The name of Miss Marion Pickard, who is one of the contestants in the queen contest being held by the American Legion, and who was formerly a thrift stamp girl for the Standard Oil Company, was accidentally mis-spelled in yesterday morning's issue.

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TERSELY EXPRESSED

The world's best beauty doctor is Love.

Hain't much kick in a grape juice toast.

The investigating committee is still investigating.

And now it is tobacco that causes pipe dreams.

Those who burned witches are still hanging around.

Pianola playing requires musical brains in the feet.

A fellow's pocketbook gets the wound stripes now.

A cheerful lier says he welcomes competition.

Don't be a four-foot boat with a six-foot whistle.

Hard work ultimately knocks out hard luck.

What does the rooster think when his wife hatches ducklings?

BOOZE MAKERS GET OUT ON $500 BAIL

James Ribero, D. Marachisio and O. Hammond were brought before the federal court in San Francisco yesterday morning following their arrest on charges of having liquor in their possession, and after hearing their case Commissioner Crull released all three on $500 bail each.

The men were taken in raids made by the federal officers Wednesday night. Hammond is the proprietor of a pool hall at 1118 Macdonald and is said to have had a quantity of liquor in his possession. Marachisio and Ribero live in a house at 53 Vine street, where it is reported that they had a quantity of liquor as well as a large still.

BATTERY CASE ON

James Goode, charged with battery by J. C. McNab, formerly proprietor of the Santa Fe hotel, will come before Judge Clarence Odell at 10 o'clock this morning for his preliminary hearing.

FORGER TO GET HEARING

A. L. Lewis, alias George Hollinstead, arrested February 10 on a charge of forgery, will come before Judge Clarence Odell this morning for his preliminary hearing. Lewis has a brother in San Quentin, who is serving time for a similar offense.

GIVE RICHMOND BETTER LOCAL SERVICE

The News article asking the street car company to give Richmond a local service of five instead of ten minutes, and trim down the Oakland run enough to make up for it, met with instant favor among the people, judging by the comments which poured in. Richmond people do not care to go to Oakland every ten minutes, but they do want to get around their own city without having to wait around like they do in Podunk or Squashville. This is no suburb of Oakland—it is a city of 25,000 inhabitants, twelve miles away from Oakland, and is entitled to an adequate service.

We live two miles from The News office, and can walk the distance quicker than we can make it by street car, as a general proposition, owing to poor connections at Twenty-third street, which line only runs once in twenty minutes, while the Sixth street line makes an effort every half, unless there should be a fog or heavy dew.

HUSBAND GETS $1

Under the will of Elizabeth Schmidt of Richmond, executed at the hospital at Martinez January 29, her husband, Christof Schmidt, will receive but $1 from her estate "and no more," while the remainder, excepting $25 which is bequeathed to Will S. Robenson, will be divided equally between two brothers and two sisters. The will was placed on file with County Clerk J. H. Wells Thursday. The value of the estate is not fixed.

MORE COME THAN GO

The number of births in Contra Costa county during the month of November, 1919, was 64, according to a report which has just been issued by the California State Board of Health. The number of deaths in the county during the same month, the reports show, was 37. In the City of Richmond the births totaled 26 and deaths 14.

LITTLE FOLKS WRITE OF HARBOR

School Children Express Intelligent Ideas on Very Important Question at Request of News, Which Will Give Cash Present to the Best—One More Week to Write.

RICHMOND'S HARBOR

Richmond has one of the finest harbors on the Pacific Coast. There is about thirteen miles of seacoast included in the city limits. It is only eight miles across the bay from San Francisco.

If Richmond had its harbor fixed, more people would locate here, also factories and steamship lines. Instead of shipping their goods by rail only, the big concerns of Richmond could ship their goods by water also, which is much cheaper.

Few cities in the West have as good a chance to have so splendid a harbor as Richmond. Richmond has two railroad lines and now all she needs is a good harbor to make the phrase, "Where rail and water meet," true.

VIRGIL O'BRIEN.
Lincoln A-7.

ONE GRAND HARBOR

What does Richmond need most of anything? A harbor is the answer.

Richmond is peculiarly situated, so that a harbor is a necessity.

Think of the coming time when ships will sail into the very heart of Richmond and discharge their cargoes!

Large factories will evolve from smaller ones, and many thousands of people will be employed daily. They will produce many things which will bring more notriety, more ships and more factories to our city. Think of the coming generation, to which the harbor will be of great use and benefit!

Very soon the phrase, "Where rail and water meet," will become actually true.

JOSEPHINE DAHL.
Lincoln A-7.

RICHMOND'S HARBOR

Richmond has one of the best harbors of the western states. It has thirteen and a half miles of waterfront on San Francisco bay. The assessed valuation of property in 1910 was $7,610,164, while in 1916-17 the valuation was $17,103,905. This shows the great growth of Richmond, which its harbor should double.

Richmond is located in such a position that she may ship goods to any other country in the world. The theory under which the government appropriates money for harbor improvement is to develop commerce. The shallow water lying between the mainland and the wharf could and should be filled in and used for factory purposes.

JULIA DESMOND.
Lincoln A-7.

WHY RICHMOND SHOULD HAVE A HARBOR

Richmond presents one of the best harbor sites on this portion of the coast. If the harbor was improved to such an extent as to favor large vessels and their cargoes it would be an immense inducement for large industries to locate here. Richmond would then rival neighboring cities and become a shipping center of both land and water.

Many prominent men have prophesied that a harbor would make Richmond a great commercial city. No manufacturer located anywhere on the Pacific Coast could then compete with a rival in Richmond.

Deep water started Richmond's growth, so let deep water continue Richmond's growth.

NORMAN SILVA,
Lincoln A-7.

HUNTING FOR MONEY

Five days ago Michael J. Clune of Selby learned that his brother, Thomas, had been dead for three years. Today Clune is searching for the bank in which his dead brother had deposited a large sum of money. The Clune brothers are from County Claire, Ireland.

Thomas Clune disappeared from Port Costa in 1917. On September 1, 1917, he was found dead with his throat cut.

Rev. Paul Little of the Wesley Methodist church, will give a special sermon on Palm Sunday entitled "The Triumphal Entry."

TOM LAWSON ARRESTED FOR MINING STOCK JUGGLING

BOSTON, March 25.—Thomas W. Lawson, prominent figure in the financial world, surrendered to the police today. Smiling and wearing a black morning coat with a white flower in the button hole, the financier walked into headquarters, where police inspectors were awaiting him.

They served him with a warrant charging violation of the law regarding the listing and advertising of shares of stocks in mining corporations. Four other brokers were arrested in this connection yesterday.

Lawson was accompanied by his attorney, Homer Albers.

Lawson was released on $2500 bail. His case was set for a hearing April 6. The other defendants are out on bail and their case has been set for April 1. The statute under which the five brokers were arrested provides a fine of $500 or two years' imprisonment for violation.

The men arrested yesterday are William R. Fitzgerald and Louis C. Van Riper, New York, and Everett Tarr and Daniel Samuels.

MACCABEES HOLD INSTALLATION RITES

The W. B. A. of the Maccabees held their public installation Wednesday evening at W. O. W. hall, assisted by the Oakland drill team, No. 14, lead by Mrs. Eagan as captain. Music was furnished for the evening by Joe Sturm and orchestra. The following ladies were installed:

Commander, Mrs. Rose Griffin; lieutenant commander, Mrs. Ella Raff; past commander, Mrs. Nola Van Valer; chaplain, Mrs. Louise Sturm; record keeper, Mrs. Robbie Gibson; collector, Mrs. Carrie Hollenbaugh; lady at arms, Mrs. Mary Conway; sergeant, Mrs. Marie Church; sentinel, Mrs. Anna Theis; picket, Mrs. Effie Reynolds; captain of guards, Mrs. Scarlett.

Mrs. Kuhl, assistant deputy to Mrs. Minnie Adylotte of Oakland, acted as installing officer, assisted by Mrs. Mina Downing as lady of ceremonies, and Mrs. Elizabeth Adams as chaplain. The guard work was put on beautifully by the Oakland drill team. At close of installation the following program was given:

Solo, Miss Noble, accompanied by Miss Wyatt.

Jockey dance, little Church girl, accompanied by Miss Theis and Master Church.

Solo, Mr. Woodworth, accompanied by Mrs. C. R. Blake.

Many gifts of flowers and cut glass were presented to the different officers and friends who assisted in the evening's entertainment.

After the program the evening was given over to dancing.

New Officers For Moose Installed

J. H. Smith was installed in the office of dictator of the Moose Lodge for the coming year at the installation held in Moose Hall last night. Other installations made were: W. B. Jenkins, vice dictator; A. O. Bennett, prelate; W. F. Fraser, secretary; Joe Gardella, sergeant at arms; Joe Tomasack, outer guard, and Dave Mitchell, inner guard.

The retiring dictator, Zeb Knott, was given an automobile robe decorated with the official emblem of the Moose order. Joe Tomasack was given a Moose emblem in appreciation of his services on various lodge committees.

Music for the evening was furnished by Jack Crow and the Moose orchestra. Special numbers were given by D. McLennon and Miss Mildred Cox. McLennon gave a solo, while Miss Cox sang a song and a did a fancy dance. The banquet given after the installation was in charge of a committee consisting of Joe Tomasack, chairman; Louis Keiser and Bert O'Loan.

CRIME WAVE SWEEPS ALL RICHMOND

Robbers Enter Santa Fe Station in San Pablo But Are Unsuccessful in Loot Quest—I. Jarret Foils Holdup Men Who Attempt Highway Robbery—Mexican Holdup Man Sought—Burglars Try to Enter Audrey Wilson Home.

Bandits entered the Santa Fe station at San Pablo early yesterday morning but were unable to secure any appreciable amount of loot, due to the fact that the cash drawer had been emptied the night before by the station agent, S. M. Hutchingson. Fifteen cents in old coins was all that the robbers obtained, and the men made no attempt apparently to take any of the tickets, as the tickets were found to be untouched when checked over in the morning. Officers were at once dispatched to the scene as soon as the work was discovered yesterday morning, but were unable to find any clue to the mystery. The robbers had apparently gained entrance to the depot by using a skeleton key and afterward used a "jimmy" to pry their way into the ticket office.

Bandits Fire on Auto

The Santa Fe incident was only one of several that occurred on the same night, two other holdups and a house burglary having been attempted in the space of a few hours. While I. Jarret and his wife were driving their car at Twenty-third and Market streets, San Pablo, Wednesday evening bandits stepped out and ordered them to stop, and when Jarret accelerated his speed the would-be holdup men fired two shots at the car. The occupants of the car could give no accurate description of the men and officers who were at once sent to the scene failed to find any clue.

Mexican Attempts Holdup

While F. W. Hillengrass was walking along Thirty-eighth street near Macdonald avenue about 10 o'clock Wednesday night, a Mexican attempted to hold him up, but for some reason lost his nerve and fled. A Mexican was arrested by Officer Jones yesterday as answering to the description of the man given by Hillengrass, but was later freed when Hillengrass saw him and stated positively that he was not the party.

House Burglary Attempted

About 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning someone attempted to enter the Audrey Wilson home, 720 Nevin avenue, it was reported to the police, Mrs. Wilson, was awakened by someone opening the window of the room occupied by herself and children. She got up at once and the man was evidently frightened from the window by her movements. She went into the kitchen and stood still in the dark for a few minutes, when she heard footsteps on the porch and an attempt to open the back door. She then called her husband, who was asleep in another room, and he went outside, but could not see anyone. The police were notified, but could find no trace of the man further than tracks across the yard.

Wilson notified the police last night that two men were seen prowling around in the neighborhood of his residence and he suspects that they may be the parties who attempted to break in Wednesday night. The police department was notified, but the men had gone by the time the officers sent out reached the place. A close watch is being kept in order to get hold of the crooks if possible.

The News regrets that some of the above information was not given to its readers sooner, due to an oversight on the part of the night desk man at the police department.

In the old abandoned brickyard of Julian Carey, for which he received an award of $17,000 damages from the City of Richmond, two men were arrested yesterday by the police for stealing junk. They are from San Francisco and gave their names as Fred Setoro and M. P. Wright.

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City Attorney D. B. Hall and Attorney Hiram Jacobs were Martinez visitors yesterday, either getting somebody out of trouble or in.

ANOTHER 4RD STORY

In one of the leading churches of the city the pastor took for the text of his sermon, "Better Church Attendance."

The pastor held that the automobile had taken more people away from church than any other thing. He concluded with the exclamation: "The Ford car has taken more people to hell than any other thing that I can mention." Whereupon an old lady in the congregation began to clap her hands and moan: "Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!"

"What's the matter, sister?" asked the pastor.

"The Ford never went any place that it couldn't make the round trip, and I am sure that all of those people in hell will be back. So praise the Lord."

PASTOR ANNOUNCES HOLY WEEK PROGRAM

The program for Easter week at St. Paul's church of San Pablo has been announced by Father M. A. DaCruz, pastor of the church. The program runs as follows:

Next Sunday will be Palm Sunday, with mass at 8:30 o'clock following confessions. Blessing of palms at 10:30 o'clock; mass with special choir.

Next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock there will be the rosary benediction.

Holy Trursday, at 9 o'clock in the morning there will be a procession, exposition of the blessed sacrament all day and at 7:30 o'clock in the evening rosary, benediction and sermon.

On Good Friday morning at 7 o'clock there will be exposition of the blessed sacrament, mass at 9 o'clock and in the evening Stations of the Cross and sermon in Portuguese.

On Saturday morning at 7 o'clock there will be blessing of water and at 7 o'clock in the evening hearing of confessions for Easter Sunday.

On Easter Sunday there will be a communion mass at 8:30 o'clock and a high mass at 10:30 o'clock, with benediction of the blessed sacrament. Special music will feature the Easter Sunday services.

CLAIMS CONTRACT WAS BROKEN

The strike of the electrical workers of the Western States Gas and Electric Company in this city, Stockton and Eureka is still on. The companies are supplying current and hope that there will be no interruption, says the local superintendent.

The company asserts that it has a wage agreement with the men which does not expire until June, and that the men in walking out have violated it.

It seems that there is a conflict of authority. The strike was called by a Mr. Fifield of Berkeley, the business agent of the union. F. Grasser of Oakland, one of the international officers, it is understood, has informed the company the strike is illegal and will not be sanctioned by the head officers.

In Stockton Wednesday night there was a largely attended meeting of the business men of the city and the following resolution was adopted:

"After careful consideration of the merits of the strike called last Monday by the electrical workers of the Western States Gas and Electric Company, the undersigned business men of Stockton have unanimously agreed that such action was unwarranted and antagonistic to the best interest of the public, the company and its employees and that the company should be actively supported to the utmost."

J. F. Whittle took out a permit yesterday to erect a $2500 cottage in the east side of Fifteenth street, between Macdonald and Bissell avenues. He is the contractor.

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News of the wedding at Gilroy over a month ago of Miss Lillian Axelson and Gordon Snavely has just been learned by the parents and friends of the young people in this city. Following the ceremony the newlyweds returned to their respective homes here and have been endeavoring to keep the wedding a secret.

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AN IMPORTANT LAW SUIT IS SETTLED

Pt. Richmond Land and Canal Co., Mintzer Estate and H. C. Cutting Co. Compromise Long-Fought Battle in Courts, Through Efforts of Receiver Wernse—Property Is Released From Litigation.

A decree of foreclosure to satisfy a mortgage of $400,000 held by the Anglo-California Trust Company against the Point Richmond Canal and Land Company was issued from the court of Superior Judge B. H. Latimer yesterday, because of a compromise effected by E. W. Wernse, receiver for the land company. The loan was made in 1901 on 388 acres of Richmond water front land. Of the $400,000 loaned there was still due on the principal $268,500 and interest of $245,409, making a total of $513,909 due the Anglo-California Trust Company. Judge Latimer named A. E. Dunkel as commissioner to make the sale.

With the decree of foreclosure deeds to the land were filed by the canal company in favor of Henry W. Wernse, receiver. By agreement, the bank and the land company will exclude from the judgment 190 acres of land. The value of the property transferred was indicated as $256,000 by revenue stamps on the deeds.

The above information was received last night by The News by long distance phone from Martinez, where the compromise of the litigation was finally effected yesterday. We then called up Mr. Wernse at his Point Richmond home and learned that it was true that he had succeeded in bringing the warring factions together and effected a compromise of a bitterly fought law suit, which has tied up some of the most valuable waterfront property in Richmond.

By this compromise the Point Richmond Canal and Land Company receives the tract of land known as Canal Subdivision No. 1. The Mintzer Estate Company receives 187 acres of land. The H. C. Cutting Company receives 65 acres of land.

This law suit was one of the most important in Contra Costa county in years. It involved all of the land of the Point Richmond Canal and Land Company and there were over 150 defendants to the action, including the City of Richmond. By the compromise all of these defendants have their property released, and all having claim to property in the Canal Subdivision can get clear title to their property.

We now hope to see this tract go ahead, as its central location makes it one of the very best vacant properties in the City of Richmond today. We hope to see many homes and business buildings erected on this tract in the near future, and it is certain that such will be the case.

The credit of this compromise is due to the untiring efforts of Mr. Wernse, who has been identified with the Canal Subdivision since 1906. The settlement of this controversy is most important, not only to the many litigants, but to the whole City of Richmond.

SEWING BEE MEETS

Contra Costa Temple, No. 113, Pythian Sewing Bee met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. S. W. Linser, 1214 Bissell avenue. Those present were: Mrs. H. Moore, Mrs. S. Carlfield, Mrs. A. Lilly, Mrs. C. Hutson, Mrs. D. Malcahy, Mrs. H. Smith, Mrs. L. M. Tubbs, Mrs. W. Bezarson, Mrs. W. Frank, Mrs. J. Sargeant, Mrs. E. M. Boyer, Mrs. G. Raider, Mrs. H. J. Hill and Mrs. S. W. Linser. A number of articles were finished. At the close of a very pleasant afternoon, dainty refreshments were served.

IT WAS NOT NEWS SCRIBE

Cleria Croce, an Italian woman of Crockett, was arrested on an insanity complaint sworn to by Under Sheriff Veale yesterday after she had appeared at the sheriff's office and made inquiries for a newspaper man, who, she is declared to have said, was to write to President Wilson for her. She had previously written Wilson, but has received no answers, she declared.

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THE PAPER OF THE WORKING PEOPLE

NONE OF US PERFECT

Some things about the scheme of life that cause our neighbors lots of strife, don't worry us at all. Was Eve or Adam most to blame for biting on the apple game that caused the primal fall? Well, we don't know. We never tracked their footsteps down to learn that fact, and, really, we don't care. But far as we have been advised, we wouldn't be a bit surprised if both of them were there.

A WAR LESSON

Out of the war miseries that are torturing the world we must believe that immense good is coming—justice and kindness between individuals and between nations, the emancipation of women, a greater safeguarding of human life among the poor, an equalizing of opportunity for both sexes, an advance towards some universal religion that will make future wars impossible.

"Our hunt for soldiers, for example, impressed us with the truth that the average American citizen, especially so among the poor, is physically unfit.

"These men are round-shouldered, flat-chested, flat-footed, slab-sided and suffer from hernia, kidney trouble, defective hearts and a dozen other maladies that are the results of wrong living," declared a military examiner recently. "If the nation wishes healthy, upstanding citizens to fight its battles, let it produce such citizens. But if it denies to millions of poor children proper food, air, everything that children ought to have, it must expect just such a human harvest as we are reaping."

THE OLD WEST IS GONE

Within the lifetime of one man, this nation has transformed a wilderness into prosperous commonwealths of peace-loving people. Gone are the buffalo which once ranged the plains in countless thousands. The Indians which spread terror among the early settlers, and made business for such scouts as Buffalo Bill and soldiers they guided across the trackless plains, have given up before overwhelming odds and become farmers and oil magnates and movie actors, and where was once the boundless prairie now are endless fields of wheat and corn and alfalfa. Where once the squalid savage pitched his village of wigwams, now stand great cities of more substantial structure. Where once were but the trails of passing caravans, now railways cross the landscape, and crossing the plains, once a strenuous journey of months, has become a pleasure trip of a few days. Where the prairie schooner labored slowly through the waste places, now motor cars whisk through a land of happy homes. The change is as complete as if we lived in another age or on another continent.

UNAMERICAN SNOBOCRACY

Under glaring headlines in the San Francisco dailies appeared a write-up of an occurrence which should be looked into. The peace treaty, league of nations and presidential campaign can all wait until this terrible outrage is investigated.

A high society lady of that great city, the story states, checked her Japanese poodle dog at the cloak room of the St. Francis hotel and went home and forgot it, and the poor little dear had to stay shut up in that horrid room several hours, and without any dinner, too! Just think of it! Finally a telephone message was received at the hotel from the lady, informing them of the terrible catastrophe, and ordering that little Mr. Poodle be sent home right away in a taxicab, and that the servants who should bring him must be very careful to see that the cab doors were kept shut, so he would not catch cold. Accordingly, this was done, and we are happy to state that up to the last accounts, just before going to press, no unfavorable symptoms have shown up which would indicate that the poodle caught cold. We shudder to think what would happen to the nation if it had caught cold, and the governor ought to call a special day of thanksgiving, so all the people would have a chance to rejoice.

Pah! Spit it out! That sort of hogwash on the front pages of the city papers makes this scribe's mouth taste like he had been eating garlic, limburger cheese and over ripe olives.

With the rich doing such stunts as that, who can expect the poor and needy to keep from feeling hard and bitter? We do not know how other men feel about such things but we have some very pronounced ideas about it—so lurid, in fact, that we cannot print 'em in the paper.

DERN THE COAL BARONS

The man of careless conduct may be headed for a goal, where no one ever makes a kick about the price of coal; but while the thrifty citizen remains upon the earth, if he is forced to purchase heat at far above its worth, it makes his wife economize on jewelry and tires, and puts a crimp in other large legitimate desires.

THINKOGRAPHS

The flirtation has to be a partnership affair if it is to make much progress.

Russia couldn't be expected to preserve the fruits of revolution without a few jars.

People might know more, except that they had rather be entertained than instructed.

The search for a good five-cent cigar is a long one, with little to show in the way of results.

One spends about half of his life preparing to live, and the other half in preparing to die.

Some large pots have been won by a four-flush, but nothing is made by persistently playing that sort of hand.

Speaking of politics, as most people have been lately, we once had Know-Nothings, but now we have Know-Everythings.

This is a land of opportunity, and a lot of married men get into trouble on account of the many outside opportunities offered.

What has become of the old-fashioned novel heroine who used to pine away on slight provocation?

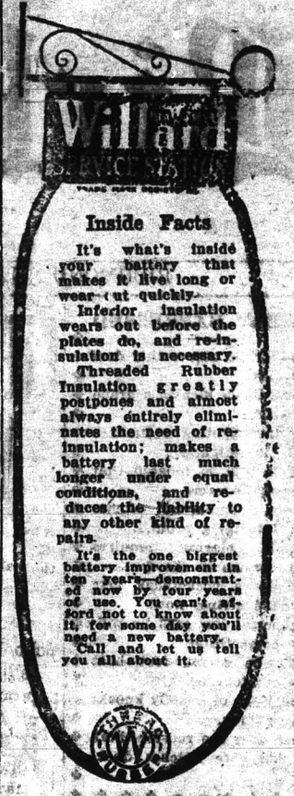
And the worst of it is that there are just as many sides to the argument when it is over as when it began.

Although good nature is imposed on a great deal, the good-natured man still has more fun than the grouch.

The war has developed a scarcity of metals. A lot of us have noticed that gold and silver were a bit scarce for some time.

You may lack opportunities for being a hero, but there is always a chance to be a good workman, which is more important in the affairs of this world of ours.

Another reason for your failure is because while you are trying to decide on which is the best foot to put forward, your competitor is getting there with both feet.



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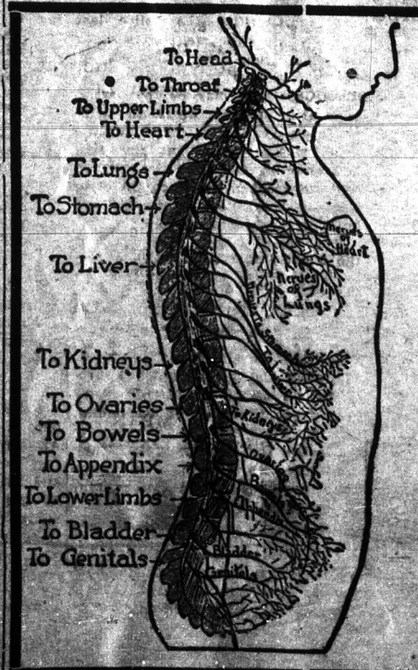

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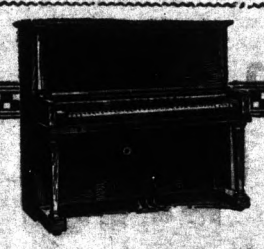

Quality, Not Price Should Determine Your Choice of a Piano

In these days careful buyers are asking, not "how much" but "how good." They have learned that there is no economy in "cheap" goods, and that merchandise of quality is the only kind which enables them to get lasting value for the money expended.

In no line of merchandise is quality more necessary than in Pianos. A cheaply constructed, poorly finished instrument of mediocre tone and uncertain standing, offers neither value nor satisfaction. Price is the only talking point for such instruments.

Good piano dealers will not carry this kind of instruments. It is true Pianos of dependable quality will cost a little more—but that extra cost is nothing compared to the years of use and complete satisfaction you will have in return. We carry a most comprehensive line of Pianos—many of them very old and famous makes, such as the Steinway—but they are all of dependable quality. The prices cover a wide range, and we gladly arrange convenient payment terms.

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SHERIFF VEALE HAS NO EAR FOR MUSIC

Olivero Pagni's musical capabilities are not appreciated by the deputies of Sheriff R. R. Veale. Daily since his incarceration on a charge of shooting A. Rabairo at Antioch several weeks ago Pagni has caroled selections that have made Caruso famous. Renditions of Lucia D' Lammermoor and Il Trovatore have awakened other prisoners at times long before the little sparrow started on his hunt for worms. Late at night, too, Pagni has been giving vent to his feelings through musical expression.

At first it was tolerated, then it began telling on the nerves. Threats and persuasion failed to induce Pagni to forego his voice training. To all pleas he turned a deaf ear and a flow of Italian language.

Today a sign in Pagni's ward calls to the "Attenzione al publico," but of Pagni in particular, that all noise is taboo before 9 a. m. and after 9 p. m. But it isn't in English. Sheriff's officers secured John Gallo and in his choicest Italian John printed the sign. What the effect of the sign will be cannot be determined until after 9 tonight.—Martinez Standard.

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"The Beloved Cheater" is a tingling, tangling romantic canter. Here is a hero who bears all the earmarks of the proverbial villain, that is, any man who possesses undue attraction for the members of the feminine sex is usually a villain—in the movies. To add to this unfortunate character, this hero kisses a young man's fiancee and wins her love.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 4454.
In the Matter of the Estate of Annie Liebhauser, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administrator of the estate of Annie Liebhauser, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa County, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Administrator at Chico, California, the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated March 10, 1920.

A. LIEBHAUSER,
Administrator of the Estate of Annie Liebhauser, Deceased.

DANIEL BARTON,
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Attorney for Administrator.

Published March 17, 24 and 31, and April 7, 1920.

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BETWEEN Fifth and Sixth streets on Macdonald avenue, 20 War Savings Stamps of the issue of 1918. Finder return to office of Richmond News and receive reward.

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If you had planned on paying Ten or Twelve Dollars for your Easter Hat, don't do it! Not before seeing this "Sample Line." They've just been unpacked, and are priced $6.85 for pick! "Some Value?" Well, we'll say they are—and so will you. On display in East Window today and Saturday.

$6.85

Read's Dry Goods Store
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Ridiculous Party Coming On April 1

Miss Bessie Donnelly and Mrs. Laura B. Crampton, two well known members of the One Minute Club here, are completing the arrangements for a "Ridiculous Party" and dance to be given in the Richmond clubhouse on the night of April 1. The party will be a strictly April fool affair and all who attend are to wear clothes suiting the occasion. The public are invited to participate.

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WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Log Cabin Camp No. 637 meets every Monday in W. O. W. Hall, 707 Macdonald Avenue. Consul Commander, H. B. Hollenbaugh, residence, 239 4th street; Clerk, C. L. Theis, 284 Chanslor avenue.

Special Speakers At Wesley Methodist

The Rev. Paul Little announces that two special speakers have been booked for the services to be held Sunday, March 28.

James K. Stinchcomb, field secretary for the Young People's Associations of Northern California, will address the congregation at 6:30 p. m., and J. A. Geiffinger will make another address at 7:30.

Johnny Deadrich had a dream the other night, included in which was a funeral. Next time he dreams so strenuously we are going to sing him that old negro melody: "There'll be a funeral and somebody dead, and you'll ride in the wagon way up ahead."

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Local Laconics Of Richmondites

The rain stopped the workmen men on the new T. & D. theater foundation and the frogs got one more inning. They croak rather melancholy, though, realizing their early rout. We understand Riordan contemplates giving a banquet of their hind legs.

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Young Wells, out Clinton avenue way, is also a new papa, and the boys say re sneaked down town after dark and got a baby buggy, so they would not catch him. They are laying for him, and intend to demand 15-cent cigars.

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Brother Sanborne dropped in yesterday to notify us that we had been sentenced to attend church Easter Sunday. Doggone it! Life is just one thing after another. Guess we better show up.

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There are a few certain elements around this town that love The News just like the devil loves holy water. Glad of it. A real man is known by the company he does not keep.

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Be sure to read the advertisements if you want to know what is doing, where to trade and where to make your money go the farthest. The merchant who advertises is always the one who is wide awake, and being wide awake he knows how and where to secure bargains, and he also knows the people are not mind readers.

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Mayor and Mrs. J. N. Long are to lead the grand march at the big ball arranged for the benefit of the Firemen's Relief Fund, to be held at East Shore park April 10.

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Members of the Civic Center Club and their guests enjoyed an afternoon at whist at the club rooms on Twenty-third street Wednesday afternoon. The prize winners were: Miss Margaret Byrone, Mesdames Creedon, Malianini, Stolker and Robins.

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At the meeting of Native Sons Wednesday night in Pythian Castle two candidates were initiated into the lodge. President Dr. C. R. Blake and George Black were elected as delegates to the grand parlor, to be held at San Diego in the early part of April.

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Details for a huge whist party to be held Saturday, April 3, at the Pythian Castle, were completed at the meeting of the Pocahontas Council last night in the Pythian Castle.

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School Director George Valencia for the past six years an able member of the San Pablo school board announced today that he would not be a candidate for re-election.

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The last will and testament of the late Elizabeth Schmidt of Richmond was filed in the probate court yesterday. T. N. Calfee is named executor of the estate.

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The Bay Shore Stage Company which is now operating an auto line between Oakland and Martinez, via Crockett, has been authorized by the Railroad Commission to extend its service to Vallejo by means of the Six-Minute ferry.

Notice

The New Richmond Land Company has just established their branch office at 2221 Macdonald Ave., Richmond, with W. H. Sanford in charge. They have about 100 fine lots left in Wall's Addition that they are putting on sale at $5 a month; prices running up to $250 a lot. Nothing in the entire bay district to equal them in price and location. Get your ground paid for and we will furnish you money to build when you are ready to build your home. Stop paying rent; this money is forever gone from you. Come and examine our plan books and pick out the kind of cottage you want. Don't forget the number. 2221 Macdonald Ave. New Richmond Land Co.

THIRST AND GREED DRIVES ALIENS HOME

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Spring, prohibition and greed.

These, according to state department officials, are mainly responsible for the landslide of passport applications which has descended upon them.

The great majority f the applicants who have been clamoring for speedy action, on account of the delay caused by the vacancy in the office of the secretary of state, have had their applications passed upon within the two days the new secretary, Bainbridge Colby, has been in office.

Within the past thirty days there have been 20,000 requests for passports filed at the department.

The conclusion is that prohibition has more to do with the exodus than art and literature, and that the lure of the big fortunes in exchange has the most to do with it. It is said that if a man took a fairly good amount over with him he would become rich overnight, and that as long as he was supplied with more money from America, the richer he would get in Paris or in the occupied zones of Germany.

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MURDER CLEWS LEAD TO NEIGHBORING TOWN

PORT COSTA, March 25.—That the scene of activities of Oakland police in endeavoring to locate the murderer of Ulla Carlson, domestic, whose body was found in Oakland's residential district ten days ago, may shift to Port Costa became known today. Sergeant Fred Heere of the Piedmont police was here on Wednesday running down clues in connection with the receipt of a letter from "The Strangler," in which it was declared he had strangled the girl to death with a hand kerchief because she was untrue to him. The letter was posted at Vallejo and directed to Fred Becker, chief of the Piedmont police.

Heere met Mrs. Blumquist, aunt of the murdered girl, on her arrival at Port Costa from New York, and after making investigations here in connection with the letter from the "strangler" crossed the bay to Vallejo.

Y.M.C.A. Boys To View Shops

Educational tours through the industries of Richmond are to be conducted by the Y. M. C. A. next week. The shops to be visited are:

Monday: Certain-teed Products Company.

Tuesday: Western Pipe and Steel Company.

Friday: Pullman shops.

The touring parties are limited to fifty, who are to be conducted through the shops by guides. Registrations may be made at the Y. M. C. A. offices in the Berry building, at Eighth and Macdonald avenue, tomorrow afternoon. Walter J. Mead, secretary of the "Y," will meet the boys at the Lincoln school grounds at 1 p. m. Any boy over 11 years of age is eligible.

High School Actors Cheat Weather Man

In spite of the pouring rain which was coming down at the time, the parade that the Richmond high school students gave in connection with their big circus last night, went on as though "Old Sol" had been beaming his brightest. Fair hula hula dancers, yama yama girls and reckless looking cowboys were mingled in the gay procession that marched down Macdonald avenue.

The side show of the circus started at 6:30 p. m. and the main tent opened to the crowd an hour and a half later.

Seven big features, hula hula dancers, bathing girls, dog eating savages, kissing girls, mechanical dolls, world renowned minstrels and a mystery house, were given in the side show.

The main show consisted of the following big acts: Bareback riders, performing bear, Red Riding Hood and the Wolf, songs and dances, Dizzy Wop, trained elephants, clown, strong man and concert, bear act, rope walker, bull fight, hippodrome race.

The circus was given by the student body assisted by the faculty, with the following in charge:

Side show—Cecil Moore, Edward Aine, Colin Shanks and Franklin Brooks.

Main show—Stanley Macdonald, Bert Bowden, Phillip DeLuna, Ruth Robinson and Zelma Race.

BOOZERS ARE PINCHED AND WINE SEIZED

Nine men and two women were arrested and more than 2500 gallons of alcoholic liquors seized in raids by federal prohibtion officers yesterday in Hollister and San Juan.

Detailed by W. A. Kelly, district supervisor, Agents Otto Thompson and William Lyon early in the week made reports that were followed by the raids.

At Hollister the Hotel San Benito, owned by Mr. and Mrs. A. Frizzi, was raided, the proprietors arrested, charged with violating the prohibition law. Andrew E. Getti and Joe O'Levis were arrested for carrying liquor and about 700 gallons of wine was seized.

Bernard Hottinger of El Cerrito is in the city prison on a charge of failure to provide for a minor child.

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